Subject: M1A1 Transmission Maintenance

Appropriation Title: Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, Army, 05/07; and Operation and Maintenance, Army, 05/05

DoD Serial Number:
FY 05-27 IR
Includes Transfer?
Yes

Component Serial Number:	(Amounts in Thousands of Dollars)							
FY 05-04 IR	Program Base Reflecting Congressional Action		Program Previously Approved by Sec Def		Reprogramming Action		Revised Program	
Line Item	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount
a	b	с	d	e	f	g	h	i

This reprogramming request transfers \$12.0 million from Operation and Maintenance, Army, 05/05, appropriation to Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles, 05/07, appropriation for proper execution. This action uses general transfer authority pursuant to section 8005 of Public Law 108-287, the DoD Appropriations Act, 2005; and section 1001 of Public Law 108-375, the Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005, and is determined to be necessary in the national interest. This action does not change the purpose for which the funds were originally appropriated. This action meets all administrative and legal requirements of the Congress and the items have not previously been denied by the Congress.

FY 2005 REPROGRAMMING INCREASE:	<u>+12,000</u>		
Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Com	<u>+12,000</u>		
Budget Activity 1: Tracked Combat Vehicles			
M1 Abrams Tank (MOD) 116,466	116,466	+12,000	128,466
FY 2005 REPROGRAMMING DECREASE	:	<u>-12,000</u>	
Operation and Maintenance, Army, 05/05 Budget Activity 1: Operating Forces		<u>-12,000</u>	
16,561,581	16,561,581	-12,000	16,549,581

Explanation: This action transfers funds for proper execution. The increase for M1A1 Transmission Maintenance will stabilize the critical industrial base function over the short-term and ensure the original equipment manufacturer continues to provide new components and assemble them into kits in order for the Anniston Army Depot to rebuild the transmission. This effort will improve performance and reliability of the vehicles, restore them to a like-new condition, and extend the service life. The Army's transmission enterprise team is developing a long-term strategy to keep the industrial base viable by creating a second source component provider. These funds are currently appropriated in the Operation and Maintenance, Army Appropriation. However, this work should be accomplished in the Procurement of Weapons and Tracked Combat Vehicles Army Appropriation in the Abrams Modification budget line in support of the Abrams Transmission Report submitted to Congress in April 2004. The FY 2005 baseline amount has not yet been adjusted for undistributed congressional reductions.

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